

Remarks

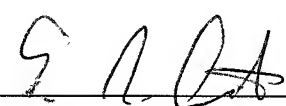
The Final Office Action dated January 15, 2008 indicated that claims 9-10 are objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. In response thereto, Applicant has rewritten claims 9-10 in independent form including limitations of base claim 1. Applicant has also cancelled the remaining claims 1-5, 7-8 and 11-18. Applicant respectfully submits that this amended should be entered because it places the instant application in condition for allowance. *See, e.g.*, M.P.E.P. § 714.02. Applicant further submits that no extension of time should be required for filing this response because Applicant initially replied (*see* the Final Office Action Response dated February 20, 2008) within 2 months from the date of mailing of the final rejection (*i.e.*, January 15, 2008) and the Examiner has yet to mail an advisory action. *See, e.g.*, M.P.E.P. § 706.07(f).

In view of the remarks above, Applicant believes that each of the rejections has been overcome and the application is in condition for allowance. Should there be any remaining issues that could be readily addressed over the telephone, the Examiner is asked to contact the agent overseeing the application file, Peter Zawilski, of NXP Corporation at (408) 474-9063 (or the undersigned).

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